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Sir:

In response to the final Office action of 19 May 2005, please amend the above referenced application as follows and/or reconsider the application in light of the following remarks.

This paper includes (each beginning on a separate sheet):

- 1. Amendments to and/or listing of the claims; and
- 2. Remarks/Discussion of issues.

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